

MILWAUKEE, WI- Congresswoman Gwen Moore released the following statement today on the passing of Congresswoman Stephanie Tubbs Jones.

"Today I join with the people of Ohio in mourning the passing of a great woman and leader. Congresswoman Stephanie Tubbs Jones was not only a respected Member of the House of Representatives but a true champion for the people of Ohio. Her legal mind was second to none and above all else, she always stood up for those who could not speak for themselves."

"On Sunday, in our last conversation we had an opportunity to tell each other how much we loved and respected one another. She was more than just another Member of Congress – she was my mentor, friend and sister and I will miss her deeply. My prayers go out to her and her family as they struggle during these difficult times."

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